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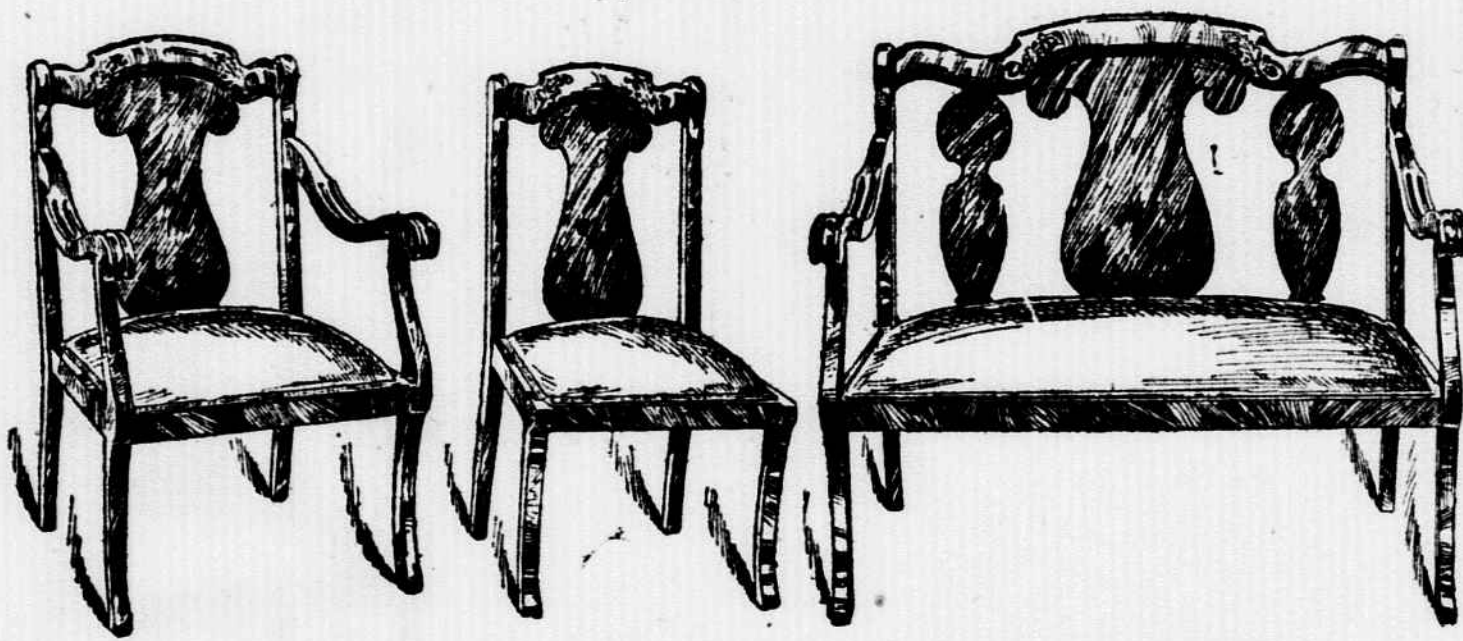
This \$22.50 Buffet ... **\$17.85**



Made of highly polished golden oak; French bevel plate mirror; best construction.

Cash or Credit.

This \$30 Parlor Suite, \$17



—mahogany frame; highly polished; upholstered in silk velour; beautiful in design.

Cash or Credit.

This \$12.50 Dresser, **\$8.50**



—highly polished golden oak; oval French plate mirror; most substantially constructed—\$8.50. Cannot be duplicated under \$12.50.

Cash or Credit.

This \$15 China Closet, **\$10**



—made of highly polished golden oak with swell front and claw feet.

Cash or Credit.

This \$20 Chiffonier, **\$14.50**



Made in highly polished oak and mahogany, French plate mirror. \$14.50. Reduced from \$20.00.

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Linen Slip Covers

Made to Order.

Window Shades,

Screens and Doors made to order. Best qualities. Lowest prices.

Cash or Credit.

Rugs Reduced.

An assortment of standard size Rugs; about \$75 in the lot; reduced for quick clearance—

Tapestries.

| | Were. | Now. |
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| 6x9 | \$10.00 | \$6.45 |
| 6x9 | \$12.00 | \$7.85 |
| 8.3x10.6 | \$18.00 | \$12.05 |
| 8.3x10.6 | \$20.00 | \$13.75 |
| 9x12 | \$22.50 | \$14.50 |
| 9x12 | \$28.00 | \$16.90 |

Axminsters.

| | Were. | Now. |
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| 6x9 | \$18.00 | \$13.95 |
| 6x9 | \$22.00 | \$16.75 |
| 8.3x10.6 | \$28.50 | \$17.90 |
| 8.3x10.6 | \$32.50 | \$23.85 |
| 9x12 | \$30.00 | \$18.75 |
| 9x12 | \$32.50 | \$21.50 |
| 9x12 | \$35.00 | \$24.75 |
| 9x12 | \$40.00 | \$28.50 |

Velvets.

| | Were. | Now. |
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| 6x9 | \$18.00 | \$9.85 |
| 8.3x10 | \$28.00 | \$15.50 |
| 9x12 | \$25.00 | \$19.85 |
| 9x12 | \$30.00 | \$21.25 |
| 9x12 | \$35.00 | \$24.65 |

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| 650—27-inch Velvet Rugs. | \$2.50 | \$1.45 |
| 810—36-inch Axmin. Rugs | \$5.00 | \$3.75 |
| 64—4x4 ft. American Oriental Rugs | \$9.50 | \$4.95 |
| 327—18-inch Axmin. Rugs. | \$1.50 | \$7.95c |

Cash or Credit.

Portieres Cut.

62 odd pairs English Tapestry Portieres; heavily fringed top and bottom; just a little soiled. \$12.00 and \$15.00 values. Special price, per pair **\$4.60**

18 pairs Shiki Tapestry Portieres; the newest creation this spring; red with green border and green with red border. \$10.00 values. Special price **\$5.48**

17 pairs Heavy English Portieres; some plain, some with oriental and French tapestry borders. \$15.00 values. Special price **\$8.90**

Cash or Credit.

Couch Covers Cut.

28 60-inch Oriental Couch Covers; heavily fringed; mostly rug patterns. Regular \$9.00 and \$10.00 values. Special price **\$5.40**

39 Oriental Couch Covers; 60 inches wide; 3 yards long; fringed. **\$1.60** Worth double. Special price.

330 yards Real Scotch Madras; 50 inches wide; all colors and patterns; the best imported kind. \$1.50 yard **62c** usually. Special price.

Cash or Credit.

Lace Curtains Cut.

25 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains; full length and width; very dainty effects. \$2.25 grade. Special price **\$1.18**

31 pairs Brussels Effect Scotch and English Net Curtains; full length and width; some floral effects; others Louis XIV. Usual \$7.00 grade. Special price **\$3.48**

1 lot, about 200 pairs, Ecru and Arabian Color Scotch Lace Curtains; all of them the very latest designs; about 7 patterns to select from. Usual \$7.00 and \$8.00 grades. Special price **\$3.38**

26 pairs Real White Irish Point Lace Curtains; colonial effect; full size. Usually sold at \$10.00 pair. This sale **\$5.90**

68 pairs REAL Cluny Lace Curtains; Arabian color; very latest effects: \$8.00 values for **\$4.48** \$10.00 values for **\$6.35** \$12.00 values for **\$7.40** \$15.00 values for **\$8.90**

32 pairs Real White Irish Point Lace Curtains; 3 1/2 yards long; 54 inches wide. Real value, \$15.00 **\$8.40** pair. Special price.

We have about 90 odd lots of Lace Curtains, comprising Scotch, English, Irish Point and Cluny; 1 to 3 pairs of a pattern. Sold up to \$10.00 **\$4.40** pair. Special price.

Cash or Credit.

Rug Fringe Cut

4,250 yards Rug Fringe; all colors. The 15c grade, per yard **15c** The 35c grade, per yard **15c**

\$1.25 Bath Mats, 49c.

325 Turkish Bath Mats; different colors. Worth \$1.25. Each **49c**

Cash or Credit.

Carpets Cut.

4,052 yards Carpets, including velvets and axminsters.

The \$1.10 Tapestry Carpet, now, yard **62 1/2c**

The \$1.35 Tapestry Carpet, now, yard **79c**

The \$1.50 Velvet Carpet, now, yard **95c**

The \$2.25 Axminster and Bigelow Carpets, now, yard **\$1.25**

Cash or Credit.

\$15 Felt Mattress, \$7.90

Perfectly resilient and non-absorbent to dampness; the most comfortable mattress made; covered with art ticking. Cannot be duplicated elsewhere under \$15.00. Our price, \$7.90.

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SCOTT IN THE FIELD

Senator at Home Looking After His Interests.

ACTIVE FIGHT FOR RETURN

Representative Hubbard Covets Seat in Upper House.

MAKES BOLD BID FOR SUPPORT

Complex Situation in West Virginia. Chances Believed to Be in Incumbent's Favor.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

WHEELING, W. Va., February 12, 1910. Senator Scott came to Wheeling for the week in the interest of his campaign to succeed himself and while here he issued a statement formally announcing his candidacy. One of the reasons for his return home was to attend the funeral of his friend, Henry F. Behrens, a retired merchant, who, as a member of the legislature, helped elect Scott the first time.

In announcing his candidacy the senator made no reference to the manner or method of determining the contest with Representative Hubbard, a detail that did not excite surprise.

In personal interviews, however, Senator Scott was emphatic in saying he was willing to go before the voters at a primary, a state-wide primary preferred. He recalled his position of years in favor of this plan, but, he said, for lack of any

state law on the subject he did not care to go into a state primary. He wanted to know if Hubbard was willing to share the immense burden of cost, since the plan would mean a legitimate expense of not less than \$100,000. This sum would cover the expenses of the election commissioners and clerks, rent of polling places and other essentials.

Hold-Overs for Scott.

Scott claims he has now for his friends and supporters all, or nearly all, of the republican hold-over members of the state senate. Thus he has a good start, while Hubbard has nothing to go on but what he can capture in the legislature chosen this year. In other words, Hubbard has nothing to lose and all to gain in submitting his case to a state primary, whose decision would be final, while Scott's victory at a primary would merely supplement his present list of supporters in the state.

There is no tribunal to initiate and conduct a state primary except the state committee. No appeal to it for a primary has been made by Hubbard. In fact, there is nothing to indicate that he wants a departure from the established methods except in a paragraph in his announcement wherein he declares he is in favor of submitting his claims to the people, that he does not believe the small counties should be smothered by the big counties in a convention, and that nobody owns the senatorial office.

Oracles Are Stirred Up.

The Hubbard paragraph, followed by the indorsement of a certain implication that Scott would not want a similar method, has stirred the Scott oracles to resentment, so that, following the senator's return to West Virginia, they have asked for further light from Hubbard and for any old kind of Queensberry rules desired. They have pointed out that primaries have always been held in deciding party contests where the battleground in the senatorial fight is to be the northern Panhandle counties—and that to imply that the Scott forces do not want a straight-out fight is to ring changes on a false note.

Incidentally, the Scott press is pointing out that the declaration for a primary from ex-Gov. Dawson is amusing and inconsistent, in view of his success in recalling a primary clamored for at Preston county on the Swisher-Scherr

gubernatorial contest two years ago, when the Dawson-controlled county committee virtually selected that county's representation in the convention, and in the interest of Swisher, while the acknowledged sentiment was otherwise.

The issue will be decided this year in West Virginia. It is declared, exactly as the several county organizations prefer. And after the legislature is nominated and elected no candidate for the honor will feel entirely free. He will know he has been chosen United States senator when his name heads the list the day the lawmakers meet in joint session for that purpose. Up to that moment he will have his anxieties.

Greeting the People.

While here Senator Scott journeyed to Brooke county, and he met large and representative delegations from Wetzel, Tyler, Marshall, Ohio and Hancock at his headquarters here, which are in charge of State Senator Robert Hazlett. His supporters admit there was a lively ripple following Hubbard's announcement, but they express unbounded confidence in the gradual settling down of things in their favor. There is no doubt of the great work done in perfecting a Scott organization recently, and the Hubbard people do not deny the surprising strength Scott has displayed since he learned he had a fight on.

This change in the situation is taken to explain Hubbard's refusal to say he will not be a candidate again for his present seat in the House of Representatives, although the best judges say he will finally announce that he will not again be a candidate for that position.

The Wheeling district has three candidates for the state senate—Julian G. Hearne and John G. Hoffmann, Scott men, and City Solicitor R. M. Addelman, a Hubbard man. The Scott crowd has not been able to eliminate either Hearne or Hoffmann. Some feelers have gone out in Hearne's behalf as a candidate for Congress instead, without conclusive result.

The Diplomat.

From the Manchester Guardian. "And, oh mother," said the little girl, "Lucy Hahn had such an awful hat on. So Annie gave her an 'int.' She said, 'I wouldn't wear a thing like that.'"

VALLEY OF VIRGINIA

Banquet at Winchester as Tribute to Rouss.

CABELL ONE OF SPEAKERS

Lauded Taft as President of All the People.

APPLE BUYER IN TROUBLE

Unable to Sell at Profit, and Creditors Attach Stock—Minister's Son a Suicide.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

WINCHESTER, Va., February 12, 1910. United States Internal Revenue Commissioner Roy E. Cabell of Washington was one of the principal speakers here last night at the annual celebration of the birthday of the late Charles Broadway Rouss, the blind New York merchant, whose public and private benefactions in Winchester amounted to several hundred thousand dollars. The celebration was in the form of an elaborate banquet given under the auspices of the Rouss fund, which was organized by Charles Rouss's wife, and was the most successful affair of the kind held in many years. About 250 prominent men of Winchester and other sections of the state were present.

Commissioner Cabell responded to the toast "The President." His speech was non-political, but he paid a glowing tribute to President Taft, declaring he was the President of all the people. Other speakers were President Edwin Alder-

man of the University of Virginia, whose toast was "The Future of the Young Men of the South"; James Alston Cabell, the writer and historian of Richmond, who spoke of "Virginia"; Francis B. Lee of the editorial staff of the Trenton (N. J.) American, who responded to the toast, "The Ladies"; and John Paul of the Harrisonburg (Va.) bar whose toast was "Our Country." Maurice M. Lynch of the Winchester bar acted as toastmaster.

Creditors Attach Apples.

Attachments aggregating over \$18,000 were sued out here a few days ago by a number of leading apple growers against Samuel Haines, a prominent New York dealer, who bought extensively in the local market last fall, paying high prices for the fruit, and who found it impossible to dispose of his holdings at a profit. Most of the apples were in cold storage here and they were attached. A meeting of the creditors was held this week, and it was announced today that a satisfactory settlement had been effected. No suspicion was cast upon Mr. Haines' motives.

Mrs. Merrie Whitacre, formerly of Washington, but now of New York, has lost her suit in the circuit court here to get the bulk of the estate of her husband, the late James P. Whitacre, a prominent Winchester lawyer, who died recently. It is likely the case will be appealed to the supreme court of Virginia. The estate is worth \$55,000.

William Hines, son of the late Rev. W. T. B. L. Hines, an Episcopal minister of Elliott City, Md., committed suicide this week by leaping seven hundred feet from the Southern railway bridge near Mount Jackson, where he had been living with his mother for a number of years. The young man had suffered intensely from rheumatism a long time and is thought to have been deranged.

United States Fish Commissioner George M. Bowers and Col. Stuart W. Walker of Martinsburg, W. Va., have purchased a lot, 55 by 120 feet, in the business section of that city for \$13,000, on which they will erect a large six-story steel frame and brick apartment house with two large storerooms on the first floor. The building will cost about \$75,000.

Mrs. Glikeson, wife of Henry B. Glikeson, a leading West Virginia lawyer, died at her home this week in Romney from the effects of a surgical operation performed recently in a Cumberland hospital. She was formerly Miss Paxton of

Irongate, Va., and leaves her husband, one son and one daughter.

Bridge Over Cedar Creek.

A small army of workmen of the Seaboard Construction Company are erecting a new steel bridge over historic Cedar creek for the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. The bridge will be about 275 feet long and will be over 100 feet high. Foundation walls are being erected in Winchester for a new church for the Christian denomination, of which Rev. W. T. Walters is the local pastor. The structure, which will be of brick and stone, will cost about \$10,000.

The new agricultural high school for the seventh congressional district of Virginia, which was recently erected at Middletown, near Winchester, at a cost of about \$25,000, was opened this week. Second creek, a large tributary of the Greenbrier river, in West Virginia, is to be harnessed, and an electrical plant of about 2,000 horsepower capacity will furnish power for commercial and illuminating purposes for Lewisburg, Roncove and Union.

The skeletons of a woman and an infant were found this week in the basement of the Episcopal Church at Woodstock by men who were making excavations for a new building apparatus. Around the skeleton of the woman was a black silk shroud, which showed no signs of decay. The woman's hair was tied in colonial fashion and was white. The oldest inhabitant of the town states that he never heard of any one having been buried under the church, which is one of the oldest buildings of the kind in that section of the valley of Virginia.

William J. Marpole and Miss Bessie Rich, daughter of Charles Richard of Frederick county, were married in Winchester this week by Rev. H. E. Richardson of the United Brethren Church. The groom, who secured a divorce from his first wife some time ago, is a grandfather and has grandchildren nearly as old as his second bride, whose age is just sixteen.

Announcement has just been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Adelaide Walters of Winchester and John Thomas Hickman of Mount Jackson, Va., which was solemnized last October at the home of R. S. Beach in Luray, Va.

Fruit Is Not Injured.

A number of leading fruit growers of Frederick county, when asked today whether the intensely cold weather of the early part of the week had injured

the trees, stated that so far the buds on the peach trees and other early varieties had escaped injury on account of not being advanced far enough.

The Cumberland Valley Railroad Company announced this week that it had practically completed the work of stringing copper wires all the way from Harrisburg, Pa., to Winchester, for the installation of a system of train dispatching by telephone.

Jacob Hahn, a member of an old Frederick county family, died a few days ago at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Samsel, at Stephens City, aged seventy years. He served in the Confederate army during the civil war.

It is reported that the Southern railway is negotiating with the Baltimore and Ohio railroad for the acquisition of that part of the latter's line between Harrisburg and Lexington, Va., aged three years. He was formerly Miss Wilson of Buffalo, and is survived by three sons, one daughter and one brother. One of her sons, Rev. Emmet M. McCorkle, is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Nicholasville, Ky.

Joseph H. Easterday, a prominent business man of Charles Town and brother of W. P. Easterday of Washington, died this week, aged seventy-six years. He served in the Confederate army during the civil war. He leaves his wife, two sons, two daughters and two brothers.

Policeman Edward Hollis of Martinsburg has been dismissed from the force for striking his superior officer, Chief of Police D. H. Stucky.

Fire this week destroyed the Southern railway freight warehouse at Riverton, together with a large shipping shed of the Carson Lime Company and the railroad signal tower. The fire was caused by an overheated stove.